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Applicant: THIERRY BRINON

Application: A UNITARY COMPOSITE CONNECTOR  
FOR A LIQUID CIRCUIT, IN PARTICULAR  
FOR MEDICAL APPLICATIONS

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RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION - ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In the Official Action dated April 27, 1993 that was issued in connection with the above-identified application, the Examiner set forth a requirement pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §121 "to elect a single disclosed species for prosecution on the merits to which the claims shall be restricted if no generic claim is finally held to be allowable." In addition, the Examiner has indicated that one of the following particular configurations of the plug disclosed and claimed in the above-identified applica-